

How to Ace High-Stakes Tests Arts

Amy
Imagines
Annie's
Imaginations

STANDARD KNOWLEDGE - Geology

Foundational

- Water, rocks, soil, and living organisms make up the earth’s surface.[MA]
- An island is land that is completely surrounded by water.
- where there are depressions in land, and there is water, the water fills them in.
- Whether the water stays there depends on many things.
- when a body of water is very deep, it is usually because....

Elementary/Middle

The earth’s surface has as many as xxxx islands arranged in different configurations (island chains, lone islands, far from land, etc.). For instance In the South Seas, the ratio of island to sea is....X to Y.

STANDARD KNOWLEDGE - Arts

Creating a piece of art gives us its own kind of demonstration about a topic that cannot be gleaned in any other way..

In the instance of Islands and Water. The Whaling Family Album images speak to how many people would feel when in one circumstance for a long time (that one hated) and has out of reach the possibility of changing that circumstance. For instance, in this case Annie (see below)

Family Place

STANDARD QUESTION TEXT

Although she may have sailed for weeks without setting foot on dry land, and although she longed to, Annie could never set foot on any small island. She was only allowed off at the largest ports, like in Australia and New Zealand. Mother got to row in a time or two to meet the king but never Annie, lest she be kidnapped and killed or worse. Even though they were a rowboat away, she could only see them from the boat - longing most of all for their dry land, bright land-growing plants, and fresh water streams.

The paired images, below, Amy created while imagining these islands for which Annie longed. Indicate two ways in which the artist created this effect. Use the following form: Amy chose to make two islands that were the same in some ways and different in others. I think this may be because she wanted to show that there were many, many islands that Annie could not go on, all of which were unique but equally tempting.

